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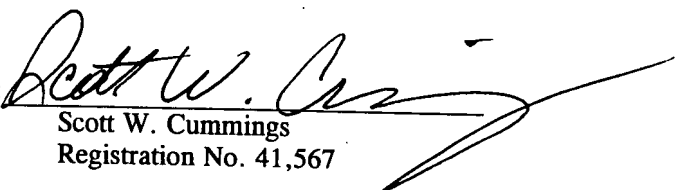
Sir:

Enclosed please find one sheet(s) of formal drawings for review by the Patent and Trademark Office in connection with the Notice of Allowance mailed February 17, 1999. Should the enclosed drawings require changes, it is respectfully requested that the Patent and Trademark Office notify the undersigned attorney of same.

The enclosed drawings include one sheet of black and white photographs. Therefore applicants hereby petition under 37 C.F.R. §1.84(b)(1) for acceptance of said photographs. The petition fee of \$130.00 is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any deficiency, or credit any overpayment to deposit account number 02-4800.

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